

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Jarmo Smahl  
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**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO NON-FINAL ACTION OF DECEMBER 1, 2008

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: